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SUBJ: MSG TO SECRETARY FROM COLOMBIAN FONMIN

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1. HERewith TEXT OF TELEGRAM TO THE SECRETARY FROM COLOMBIAN  
FONMIN ALFREDO VAZQUEZ CARRIZOSA WHICH WAS TRANSMITTED VIA  
COMMERCIAL CHANNELS ON NOV 19, 1973:

QTE EXCELENTISIMO SENOR  
HENRY A. KISSINGER  
SECRETARIO DE ESTADO DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

655- QUIERO AGRADECER A VUESTRA EXCELENCIA EL IMPORTANTE MENSAJE  
DEL 16 DE ESTE MES PUNTO LOS MINISTROS DE RELACIONES EXTERIORES  
Y LOS REPRESENTANTES ESPECIALES DE LOS ESTADOS DE AMERICA  
LATINA ASISTENTES A LA CONFERENCIA SOBRE COOPERACION CONTINENTAL  
COMA REUNIDA EN BOGOTA COMA PUDIERON ENTERARSE POR ESTE MENSAJE  
CON VIVA SATISFACCION DE LA REITERADA VOLUNTAD QUE ANIMA A  
VUESTRA EXCELENCIA PARA COADYUVAR ACTIVAMENTE EN EL PROCESO DE  
RENOVACION DE LA POLITICA CONTINENTAL INICIADO EN OCTUBRE  
ULTIMO EN NUEVA YORK MEDIANTE LAS CONVERSACIONES SOSTENIDAS CON  
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VUESTRA EXCELENCIA POR VARIOUS MINISTROS DE RELACIONES EXTER-

IORES DE AMERICA LATINA PUNTO ME COMPLACE INFORMAR A VUESTRA EXCELENCIA QUE AMERICA LATINA DESEA PROSEGUIR TAMBIEN ESE NUEVO DIALOGO CON LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS Y QUE EN ESTE SENTIDO HUBO UNANIMIDAD ENTRE LOS PAISES REPRESENTADOS EN LA CONFERENCIA EN BOGOTA PUNTO LOS TERMINOS DEL MENSAJE DE VUESTRA EXCELENCIA COINCIDIERON ASI CON UN NUEVO ENFOQUE DE LAS PERSPECTIVAS LATINO AMERICANAS QUE BUSCA ALCANZAR OBJETIVOS CONCRETOS Y REALISTAS PARA EL CONTINENTE EN ESTA FUTURA COLABORACION ENTRE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS Y AMERICA LATINA PUNTO QUIERO MANIFESTAR A VUESTRA EXCELENCIA QUE LA CONFERENCIA DE BOGOTA ME CONFIO EL HONROSO ENCARGO DE TRANSMITIR PERSONALMENTE A VUESTRA EXCELENCIA COMA EN NOMBRE DE TODOS LOS PAISES PARTICIPANTES COMA LA DECISION DE PROSEGUIR ESTE NUEVO DIALOGO SOBRE LAS BASES QUE ME PERMITIRE COMUNICARLE EN LA PRIMERA OPORTUNIDAD EN QUE ME SEA POSIBLE CONFERENCIAR CON VUESTRA EXCELENCIA EN LA CIUDAD DE WASHINGTON PUNTO SIRVASE ACEPTAR EL TESTIMONIO DE MI MUY ALTA CONSIDERACION ALFREDO VAZQUEZ CARRIZOSA MINISTRO DE RELACIONES EXTERIORES DE COLOMBIA UNQUOTE

2. UNOFFICIAL EMBASSY TRANSLATION FOLLOWS:

QUOTE I WANT TO THANK YOUR EXCELLENCY FOR YOUR IMPORTANT MESSAGE OF NOV 16. THE MINISTERS OF FOREIGN RELATIONS AND SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVES TO THE CONFERENCE ON CONTINENTAL COOPERATION IN BOGOTA LEARNED WITH GREAT SATISFACTION OF YOUR EXCELLENCYS REPEATED DETERMINATION TO PARTICIPATE ACTIVELY IN THE RENOVATION OF CONTINENTAL POLICY BEGUN LAST OCTOBER IN NEW YORK IN CONVERSATIONS HELD BY YOUR EXCELLENCY WITH SEVERAL LATIN AMERICAN FONMINS. I AM PLEASED TO INFORM YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT LATIN AMERICA ALSO WISHES TO PURSUE A NEW DIALOGUE WITH THE U.S. AND THAT THERE WAS UNANIMITY IN THIS RESPECT AMONG THE NATIONS REPRESENTED AT THE BOGOTA CONFERENCE. THE TERMS OF YOUR MSG COINCIDED WITH A NEW FOCUS OF LATIN AMERICAN PERSPECTIVE, WHICH IS TO SEEK CONCRETE AND REALISTIC OBJECTIVES FOR THE CONTINENT IN THIS FUTURE COOPERATION BETWEEN THE U.S. AND LA. I WISH TO MAKE KNOWN TO YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT THE BOGOTA CONFERENCE HAS CHARGED ME WITH THE HONOR OF TRANSMITTING PERSONALLY TO YOUR EXCELLENCY, ON BEHALF OF ALL THE PARTICIPATING NATIONS, THE DECISION TO PURSUE THIS NEW DIALOGUE ON BASES THAT I WILL TRANSMIT UNCLASSIFIED

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TO YOUR EXCELLENCY AT THE FIRST OPPORTUNITY I HAVE TO MEET WITH YOU IN WASHINGTON.ACCEPT, EXCELLENCY, THE RENEWED ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. ALFREDO VAZQUEZ CARRIZOSA, MINISTER OF FOREIGN RELATIONS OF COLOMBIA. UNQUOTE.  
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